

SB0040



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

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Introduced 1/15/2015, by Sen. Pamela J. Althoff

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

60 ILCS 1/27-5

Amends the Townships Code. Removes the requirement that a township must be located within a county with a population of 3 million or more and that it must contain a territory of 7 square miles or more in order to discontinue and abolish a township organization within a coterminous municipality. Effective immediately.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning local government.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Township Code is amended by changing Section
5 27-5 as follows:

6 (60 ILCS 1/27-5)

7 Sec. 27-5. Applicability. This Article shall apply only to
8 a township that: ~~(1) is within a coterminous, or substantially~~
9 ~~coterminous, municipality in which the city council exercises~~
10 ~~the powers and duties of the township board, or in which one or~~
11 ~~more municipal officials serve as an officer or trustee of the~~
12 ~~township; (2) is located within a county with a population of 3~~
13 ~~million or more; and (3) contains a territory of 7 square miles~~
14 ~~or more.~~

15 (Source: P.A. 98-127, eff. 8-2-13.)

16 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
17 becoming law.